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PREFACE

Glory to God

Who created this universe? Is it God or nature or is it by evolution? Who created all the living beings in the world? Who is controlling all these things? Man is born-some in a wealthy family, some in a poor family, some are quite healthy, some are born blind, deaf and dumb. Why? Who does all these things? Human life span is for a maximum period of 70 to 80 years only. Is there life after death? This fleshy body is either burnt and made as ashes or cremated and become a part of soil. Then what happens to our soul and spirit? Is there heaven and hell? Everyone tries to find an answer to these questions. All the religions and godly men of this world also try to ascertain a suitable answer to all these interesting and intriguing questions.

I also tried to find an answer for these questions. I tried sincerely, vigorously and continually but all in vain. Finally, I found the answer in Lord Jesus and Bible. In this testimony book, I have tried sincerely to explain as to how I found this answer to our unending problems which I hope, will be of a great help to your searching mind to find, not only an answer to our unending problems but also the way to find the eternal peace, love and unimaginable joy and bliss while living and after death.

*A child in the living embrace
of the true God.*

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Born and brought up as an Orthodox Muslim

"Allahu Akbar..." the vibrating sound of Imaam from our mosque was echoing in all the corners of our living area. It was a pleasant godly call to all the Muslims to bow down and pray to Almighty Allah. Even before hearing the calling, I was already on my ritual of uzhu (cleansing) performing at mosque. My mother and elder sister were awakened by that ajjaan.

I was born in an orthodox Islamic family and practiced all the Islamic laws, principles, customs and traditions very sincerely from my very childhood. I was surrounded by my strong Islamic relatives. Being born as the one and only boy child in a land lord family, I was brought up with extreme love, care, wealth and affection in my family and society. We lived together in one house with all my relations and friends around us. We were a blessed family living very happily but prudence struck our family

I lost my dear father

When I was 5 years old, I lost my father due to a sudden cardiac attack, silent myocardial infarction. Without any symptoms of sickness, he passed away one day suddenly. But at that age I did not know what had happened. One thing I knew, my mom was crying. I did not even know what had happened to my dad.

my dad loved me very much but I never spent much time with him as he passed away while I was a very young boy. I had the experience of a father-son relationship only for a period of 5 years, when I was a child.

It was a great blow to my mom. Yet we kept our trust in Allah and on all our relations. But after the death of my dad we could not be comfortable, but we had no other way but to continue staying there. My mom bore all those hard times and brought me up and my sister. Now our only trust was Allah. I started growing up as a strict and rigid Muslim boy

Allah is the only God, I thought

As I had a strong Islamic family background, I used to go to Mosque regularly. I finished reading Quran more than 3 times and I had a very strong faith on Allah. I had an unshakable opinion and belief that Allah alone is the Almighty God and no one else. I thought that all other gods are man-made and only imaginary. From my childhood I had been taught to obey Allah, his rules and to follow the commandments of Prophet Mohammed. Having a strong desire for Allah, I used to share about Islamic faith to all whom I met. Also I was very strict in Islamic rules and I forced others that they must obey, worship and follow Allah alone.

I preached Allah and compelled others to follow Allah

I used to preach Allah very strongly. Also I used to motivate some of my other religion friends to follow Islam. Whenever I chatted with my friends, I used to talk openly telling that there is no other God except Allah. Because I never cared or even knew about any other God except Allah. I used to tell that those who don't follow Allah are fools. I considered them as dust and I felt proud being an Islamic guy. I was adamant, bold and stubborn to my faith.

I used to wake up early in the morning everyday to namaaz Allah and after finishing morning namaaz in the Mosque (around 5.30 AM), I visited Islamic friends and to those who were absent to Mosque. I used to compel them to come and namaaz without fail. And I used to visit new Islamic People and brought them to Mosque. I did all these things as I read in Islamic laws and followed them strictly and I never compromised any of it before anybody.

I ridiculed Jesus and mocked christians

During my school days, I used to chant always the word "SUBAHANALLAH" meaning "glory be to God" to please Allah and also, I had been taught to follow such things. I hated Christians and especially I used to criticize Jesus Christ and I abused his name and mocked about him in front of all my Christian classmates. Also, I made them to feel shame for being a Christian by asking the explanation about Trinity, ridiculing his death on the cross, Jesus Christ's resurrection and so many questions about Bible. These were my famous topics to make the Christians feel ashamed.

I was living as such a fanatic Muslim and always liked to please Allah. I did all these things because I thought it would please Allah. But frankly speaking, in my life at that time, I never had any peace, joy or eternal love as I have now with my Lord Jesus Christ. I always felt like alone and empty. Whenever I got problems or worries I felt a dark fear in my heart. When the days passed on, my problem appeared to get vanished but only to surface again. I never had strength to face any problem in my life.

I felt the absence of my father

My father passed away when he was only 33 years old and I was only 5 years old at that time but I was scared in the depth of my heart at that young age. At the age of 15, I really felt the absence of my father very badly. In my childhood I had faced enough insults and depressions. As a young growing child I had faced personally many pains in my heart. Many teased me, mocked at me as I was fatherless and those experience sounded new to me. Some teachers had a special care on me as I was fatherless. In one way, I was consoled but at the same time, I stood odd before others.

We had to leave our house

My only love was my mom, my sister and Allah. As days passed, in the year 2004 I had many problems in our joint

family due to the Property sharing. My Dhadha (grand father) was a wealthy land lord in Tenkasi. He had five sons and two daughters. He had lot of movable and immovable properties. My father married my mom, who was from a poor family. Though my grandpa finally accepted my mother as his daughter-in-law because of her behaviour, love and care shown towards him. After the demise of my grandpa, the trouble started for us. My mother was totally neglected, ignored and finally we were forced to come out of the home with only tears and full of burden and pain in our heart.

My mother was vexed and was in tears. We came to our maternal grandpa in Tirunelveli. He had a house there. We moved in and started a new life. That life was not that easy. You can imagine the condition of the family without an adult earning male member, with two school going children to be supported. Life was tough. My mother's earning was so minimal to sustain the family. It was really a blow to us.

Allah, please answer my prayers, I cried

Why? Why all these things happened in our lives? We have not done anything wrong to anybody. Then why all this insult, blame, thrown out of the family like a used banana leaf. Is God blind to all our problems? All our hearts were heavy with pain. My mother did not show her feelings openly fearing us. But as a matured boy, I could sense her feelings. I lost all the faith. I was frustrated, depressed, no peace or joy in my mind. I was getting worst. I had hatred towards the world, everybody. I thought that all are cheat, selfish, cunning and venomous. These thoughts were on top of my mind. What is the use of living in this world? No charm. No purpose. It is simply a waste, I Thought.

We were not even noticed by the same society which honoured us once when we were together. But still I had some hope on Allah to lift me up higher before them. Every day I struggled, every second I was afraid in my mind and I was scared about this world. Many of my days went in tears and "DUAH" to Allah. I had a strong desire to get some reply

from Allah about my life, where it is going, what I should do. So, I was doing continuous NAMAZ (worship). Generally, Muslims pray for 5 times a day, but I was doing 30 times a day for continuously three days. But I did not get any peace from praying.

I decided to commit suicide

I was so much frustrated that I thought I cannot live any more in this world in such a hopeless condition. Finally, I decided to commit suicide on January 2nd, 2005. I remember that it was a Sunday morning. I took my cycle and went out far from the city limits of Tirunelveli and was sitting in my cycle under a tree. I was crying to Allah to take me and to end my earthly life as I did not have any happiness or peace to live in this world.

Jesus heard my crying and prayers

I was crying for more than 4-5 hours to Allah and frankly I didn't have enough guts to commit suicide. I did not know what to do. At that moment I saw a verse "YOUR SORROWS WILL BE TURNED INTO JOY" written on a tree. I really don't know why I read it and I had some kind of new feeling and solace in me. That words actually talked to me with a live voice in my heart saying, "Son, Go home, I need to talk to you". That word convinced me to go back home. That voice was so tender loveable like a comforting voice of a mother. I was so pleased to listen to that voice. I returned to my home and I could feel a new joy, new peace, new hope. I pedalled my cycle happily with a feeling like everyone in this world was now loving me. My situations were same but I had a change in me after seeing that verse.

"Your sorrows will be turned into joy" - John 16:20

Yes, it is a fact. All your sorrows will turn into joy. Give a trial. You will also feel like me!

I confessed all my sins

I was full of new experience which I had never even felt at any of my life time. Then reaching home, I slept peacefully.

I woke up in the evening. At that night, in my bed room, I had a vision of Lord Jesus Christ. I could not see his face but something in me said that it was Jesus. Without my knowledge I started confessing all my sins. Till that time, as a Muslim, I had never felt that I am a sinner although I had sinned many a times. I wept and confessed all my sins. After that I had an eternal peace. I did not know when I slept that night. But one thing was sure, someone visited me and it was Lord Jesus himself. After seeing that verse, I knew something strange is happening in me but I felt that was so good to me.

Next day, as usual I started my day by going to Mosque as a machine, with no feeling. As a habit, I knelt down, prayed but with no devotion. I was wondering as to why there was no feeling at all? I found the entire place as empty. I saw many were sincerely doing Namaz in the Mosque. I could only feel pity as they are all chasing a vacuum like me. So I left and went to school. There I was recalling what had happened the previous day, I went to commit suicide, but I came back and at night I saw Lord Jesus Christ whom I had hated and had an aversion even to pronounce his name. But now I feel that he loves me more than anyone in this world. There is peace in my heart which does not fade away. I was a person who used to mock about Jesus, but now my heart is full of him. Religiously I have seen him as a prophet in Quran, but not as a God. Because I had been taught that Allah is the only God and there is none other than him. It was deep rooted in my heart from my childhood.

I was debating and analysing within me

I did not know why I was praying to Lord Jesus that night when I had my Allah whom I had been praying all my life. I was very sincere in reading Quran and praying to Allah five times a day. I had really cried and shed tears while praying. I had never done anything that was prohibited by Quran or Islam. I had been a staunch Muslim respecting all the Islamic rules and rituals. But neither Allah nor Mohammed Nabi ever talked to me. I had never felt their divine presence in me at any

time. My devotion and strict adherence to Islamic rules never gave me any peace or happiness.

For no fault of mine, I lost my father at my very tender age. We lost all our wealth and properties. We lost our home, relations, all the comforts we had been enjoying hither to. Why? No answer from Allah or Mohammed Nabi. No imam could give us solace or comforting words. There was none to wipe out our tears. But we were sincere, honest and faithful Muslims. Why all these mishaps should happen to us when we had done nothing wrong. I had never talked anything ill of Allah or Mohammed Nabi or about Holy Quran whereas I had talked ill of Jesus Christ, abused his name, hated him and his followers.

I used to insult Bible and asked so many filthy questions to ridicule the holiness of the Bible. Having known all my hatred towards him and the insults I had inflicted on his holy name, his words and his sincere believers. Jesus wanted to save me from my suicide thinking. He had known me, followed me, studied my inner feelings, knew very well how wretched and evil I was to him. Yet he had loved me and saved and gave me peace, not a worldly peace which people may give but gave me an eternal, heavenly peace which none could give except Lord Jesus himself. Yes, He is our Prince of Peace! He holds the key of Heaven, eternal peace and pleasure which He is ready to give abundantly to anyone who seeks Him. Hallelujah!!!

Finally Jesus is the only solution for me

But something I felt as only Lord Jesus can do anything for me. I was wondering as to how he entered into my heart because I was the person who mocked and criticized Jesus badly. But now I am seeking Him without my knowledge. I had lot of questions in my mind and now I knew Lord Jesus Christ is the only solution for me. So I started seeking Him with all my heart, soul and mind, coming out of the box to seek who the real God is.

At the same time I was questioning myself, "yesterday I went to commit suicide and then I returned home hearing some strange voice. That night Jesus came to me. Why not Allah or Mohammed Prophet?" I was little confused as to why it happened. Then finally I pleaded to Allah to answer and clear my doubts.

"Dear Allah, sorry if I am wrong, I was following you diligently from my childhood, but now Isa Nabi(Jesus) your prophet is entering into my heart. So you please reveal me the truth", I pleaded with tears. After reaching home, I was watching TV and was just changing the channel.

God touched us in various ways

Suddenly I was pushed to watch a particular channel in which a person was preaching to thousands of people about God's love for mankind. Later, I came to know that he was Dr. DGS.Dinakaran. And for the first time in my life I was listening to such a message that God loves me. I was moved by the compassion of Lord Jesus Christ. And I had never heard such a loving message like someone loves me that too the creator of this Universe, Lord God himself. His love for me, His intention for me, His care for me, His attitude towards me, His sacrifice for me, future plan for me. It shattered my stone heart into pieces. I was literally crying and weeping and mourning in joy.

Jesus filled my heart

After I heard that message, God's love filled my heart. I felt something was going to happen tonight. I went to bed happily after telling "Jesus please help me" without any concern about who am I, as if I was seeing Lord Jesus Christ in person. But I did not know whether it was a dream or a vision or an imagination, but I knew he was Lord Jesus Christ, who was with me at that moment bringing lot of joy, lot of happiness, lot of peace, lot of love which cannot be given by this world.

Later on, I understood that the Holy Spirit was helping me to go nearer to Jesus to know more about God, to know

more about Jesus, One and the only true, living, lovable God, unchanging eternally, to know more about truth and the true way of life. That intimate, deep knowledge about Jesus alone will strengthen your faith in Him and inseparable love for Him. *"For I am sure that neither death nor life, nor angels nor rulers, Nor things present nor things to come, nor powers, nor height nor depth, Nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord."* - Romans 8:37-39.

Jesus loves everyone. He is for all

You believe it or not, He is living eternally, Holy, Holy, in His Holiness, righteousness with lot of love for all the mankind irrespective of caste, creed, religion, nationality, race and language. We simply forget that our fore fathers were Adam, Eve, Abraham, Sarah and Noah and we are all their descendants. All these castes and religions are man-made. God has not created caste and religion. He is the formation of love, origin of love and a compassionate God. But we fail to realise how truly good He is. We don't fully understand his unceasing, unchanging love for us. He loves us more than a mother can love her child. His love is more than a Father's love. You must taste and see how good it is!

We should seek Him with all our heart and soul. I did not seek him but He chose me. I was just an unnoticed, unwanted, filthy, useless, unworthy weak fellow. We try to show him by hiding who really, we are. That hypocrisy hurts him a lot. God wants you as you are. He knows all our iniquities, short comings, weaknesses and our past sinful life.

He wants us to repent sincerely for all our sins done either knowingly or unknowingly. He wants to come and reside in our hearts. It should be clean, neat, divine, holy like a temple. Let us not hesitate. With our own efforts, wisdom, strength alone, it is absolutely not at all possible. But with the help of abundant grace and guidance of the Holy Spirit it is possible to overcome all our weaknesses, bad deeds and thinking. So

bother not, Lord God will accept you as you are and change you to His holiness and righteousness like His son Lord Jesus Christ. Amen

Went to a Christian meeting

One day evening, I was watching the same Christian programme and found the venue details of a meeting, going to be held. I had a strong desire to attend that meeting to see what Christians are really saying about their God. I asked my mom. Initially she did not agree. After an argument with her, finally she also agreed to come along with me as she was afraid that I was going to a Christian meeting.

We reached the meeting hall at the last hour and took the seat at the back, where no one knew us. Suddenly that preacher was telling "someone new has come, seeking the true God and God is telling that he is going to pluck you out of the garden and plant you in His own grape garden, which will grow and bear lot of fruits for God Himself".

That words shook me as I felt God was talking to me directly and I never had such an experience in my life as a Muslim from my birth. That word which he said brought changes in my heart. And I believed, the words spoken by the preacher was the words of true God whom I was seeking. That moment I accepted Lord Jesus Christ as my only God and Saviour.

Later I realised that those words were prophecies from God to me. God's words never fail. It fulfils and does what they were meant or intended for. It will really bring up our faith in Him. Many of us are running behind prophecies and prophets rather than God. One word from God is enough to change our life. It's we who have to receive it in faith. *"Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away"*-Matthew 24:35

I grew in Christ

I had started to know more about Jesus, His life, His words(Bible), about Christian life and how they worshipped. I was very much eager and asked my Christian class mates to

guide me. Day by day I grew in Christ and had many changes in my heart as I was healed from many of my wounds. Yes, Lord Jesus Christ changed my life totally.

My mom was watching me intently and noticed the change in me. She was worried. Then I told my mother about Jesus, as to how he interacted with me which made me to accept Him as my Saviour. Initially she was very much scared about our future. It was not really easy for her. It was a crucial decision to be taken. She had to think of so many things. She was restless for few days. But I was praying to Jesus to help her realise the truth and to remove all her fears and strengthen her. Jesus did it finally realizing the change of my total behaviour, heart transformation and on seeing the peace and happiness in my face she trusted my words and did not object to my decision to accept Jesus. Then later she also accepted Jesus Christ as her Lord.

I started attending Sunday Service in Church and watched people as to how they were worshipping Jesus. The way they mingle with God was quite new to me and I liked it much. I felt like I came to a new world by knowing the true God. At nights I talked to Lord Jesus Christ like a son talking with his Father. He made me so comfortable that He was with me by answering all my prayers. I could feel God's presence around me whenever I went. I got many threats from my Islam society because they thought I have betrayed Islam. But I know that my Islamic friends are ignorant and they are in darkness.

I always think that if my Islamic relations and friends come to know about Lord Jesus Christ and the truth about the Bible, they will definitely stand firm with more zeal and zest for God than any born Christians. Because the Muslims stand so zealous for their faith and seek God diligently.

I became a born again Christian through Baptism

Without any hesitation or making any delay, I took immersed water baptism on 17th of July 2005. Many people I

find, although they had accepted Jesus and come to the church regularly, they hesitate to take baptism fearing what our society, relatives and caste people would say or totally boycott us and there will be problem for finding suitable alliance for their sons and daughters. Baptism is not a choice. It is a commandment. We have got to obey it. Then only we will become the Lord's son or daughter. We are dying for all our sins and we take a new birth on baptism. Without baptism, we cannot go to heaven. Jesus Himself has said 'Truly, Truly I say to you, unless one is born of water and the spirit, he cannot enter the Kingdom of God' -John 3:5. Further it is the commandment of Jesus Christ'-See Mathew 28:19,20. Also 'it is an appeal to God for a good conscience through the resurrection of Jesus Christ'

-1 Peter 3:21. Further it connects us with the demise & burial of Christ as per Colossians 2:12

I understood the importance and significance of the baptism and immediately I took it. And now I am a born-again Christian!

I started to testify about Lord Jesus to many as I wanted everyone to know who is the real God. I told about the love of Jesus to whom so ever I met and shared his love that He bestowed on me. I shared with utmost happiness. It is the duty of everyone who have enjoyed this love of Lord Jesus to tell this love to all and the whole world so that they will also come to know of His Unceasing Love and become His children.

My college studies were at stake

My college study was in a Muslim college. There they compelled me to come to Mosque. Initially I went with them to mosque pretending as a Muslim because I feared them. But my heart blamed me to do that and to live a hypocrite life. I told my situation to Jesus to help me to come out of this fake life. He strengthened me to face the situations boldly instead of running away from it. I informed my professors that I won't come to Mosque anymore as I love Lord Jesus Christ. That day

I was extremely happy because I stood for Jesus and glorified His name and did not deny him.

There was lot of opposition, accusation, advice from college administration and Muslim professors. I politely told them about what happened in my life. I told them that I never wanted to leave Islam. If I had got peace, happiness in Islam, I would not have left Islam. The solution to my problems, happiness and peace which Islam could not give me was given by Jesus. So, I accepted Jesus. I told them to taste and see the love of Jesus. Then they will also accept him. When I said this, they could not argue any further and finally left me.

I faced lot of problems and lot of rejections from my relations and society but God helped me to face all my obstacles very boldly and He made my life happy. I had a very tough time as a young fellow to face such hard circumstances alone. But wonderfully God enabled me to overcome all by His abundant grace. I will never tell that we won't have any problems at all in Christian life. We will have all the problems but our Lord Jesus Christ is with us to help and bring victory over it. Our God is bigger than all our problems, all our burdens, Things may look like mountains to us, but He can move the mountains for us, if we whole heartedly trust, believe and seek Him. *"Do not fear, for I am with you; do not anxiously look about you, for I am Your God I will strengthen you, surely I will help you, surely I will Uphold you with my righteous right hand."* - *Isaiah 41:10*

He is not a man to tell a lie. He is Almighty God. He stands by his Words and promises. He has given His life for us. We have to believe Him whole heartedly.

Choose your fellowship among Christians

As days passed, I felt some emptiness in my mind because I moved with Sunday Christians, name sake Christians who are neither hot nor cold but are only lukewarm and as a result, I also started following a normal Christian life. After accepting

Jesus, one should choose to move with real Christians who are prayer warriors, who shall stand for Jesus at any adverse circumstances also. It is like a student scoring 50 percentage marks, if he moves with a student getting 30 percentage mark, he will think that he is better than the other. He should move with the student securing 90 percentage marks. Then he will have the urge to secure that marks.

I saw no love, fire and longingness in hearts among maximum Christians. They don't read the Bible daily, don't pray day and night and never understand God's will or fulfil His desires. This was like giving every day attendance to Lord. I understood one thing very clearly, God does not expect all these things from His children. What He expects and desires is to have an intimate relationship with Him. He wants us to reflect Him in all aspects of life. He doesn't want our mere attendance rather He needs our love and expects us to fulfil His desires. Satan deceives people in this area. We do pray, but there is no relationship between us and God. We pray only for our worldly needs. It is also a very routine one without any fire or faith. The enemy makes people to be deaf, dumb and blind before God.

Dead Christians

The worst part of many Christians is knowing God but not understanding Him or doing His will. It's like being in the midst of ocean without learning how to swim. The basic and most significant thing is understanding God and what He expects in us. So Christian life should be like transformation every day realising who He is and what we are. As a Christian, we are receiving all the blessings, forgiveness of sins, salvation but we are not faithful to God. We don't listen to Him. We don't obey His words. We simply look to Him as a provider of worldly needs to us.

I saw maximum Christians living an unholy life. The initial love, fire, enthusiasm and to do something for the Lord fades away as the days and years pass on and we became a normal

Sunday Christian. It pained me to see many name sake Christians. Slowly I also drifted to lead a dead Christian life. I thought why this is happening? The Satan does not want anyone to be holy and be a witness to Jesus. Lucifer and all his evil forces try very hard to extinguish all our Spirit, love, fire for the Lord and wants us to lead a normal Sunday Christian Life and come out of the love net of Jesus. The devil's intention is that none of us should go to heaven. He wants all of us in Hell. The scripture says to love the Lord with all our heart and soul. *"Love the Lord your God with all your heart and With all your soul and with all your mind"* - Matthew 22:37

Seek the Lord with all your heart

I decided not to live a normal Christian life like others, just reading the Bible, going to the church on Sundays but not following His Commandments. Living with His grace but not living for Him and not serving Him in spirit and in truth. It is a false, dead Christian life. I cried to Jesus that I don't want to live such a folly Christian life. I cried for His help. Lord Jesus heard my prayers and filled me with Holy Spirit. I felt the spirit renewing me and encouraging me. I started seeking Him and worshipping Him in spirit and in truth. From that day, my spiritual life grew stronger. Whatever I do, I did whole heartedly in the name of Lord Jesus Christ. I started seeking Him truly. I could feel His Holy presence with me always.

Don't ever try to cheat God by leading a hypocrite life before God, He knows everything... He is our creator, He did everything for us. Then why can't we accept Him personally and worship Him truly. Are we really following His commandments? He asks us to love all His creations. He asks us to be generous but are we really doing that? We dare to dishonour God's word. Let us not forget that God loves us more than anybody else in this world. He wants us to reciprocate that love to all His creations.

Lord Jesus is a good Teacher and Master

I like to share an experience with you. I had a very poor Bible knowledge in the initial days. As I could not understand anything by reading it, I literally cried to God for a week to help me to understand the Bible. One night as I went to bed I was filled with Holy spirit and I woke up from my bed and I saw Jesus standing near my bed. I pulled a chair for the Lord to sit and Jesus started reading the Bible for me from Matthew to Romans. It was like someone sitting physically and reading it aloud. It was almost more than 8 hours at a stretch I listened to the word of God and I understood every word of it. Oh! What a loving God we serve!

Afterwards I got more insight and wisdom in His words through which He revealed many things from Bible and also in my personal life. Many a times, I could feel God's spirit moving in me. I thanked Him for loving me so much. Not only me, He loves everyone in the same manner. I had good experience with His presence and by His abundant grace. We think that God is far away somewhere in Heaven, but that's not true. You believe it or not, you see Him or not, He is always next to us. I don't want to trust my senses to see Him, but His presence, love makes me very confident that He is next to me. Because He is real, He is our God.

Become a disciple, not a believer

His presence makes us always happy, to love, to hug and to care others. Whenever I think about God I remember His love. This makes me to share my testimony to many who does not even know that such a God exists. God touched many people through my testimony. I share this testimony just to glorify our God not for my sake. I am nothing before His love. His grace saved me from my past sinful life. I'm just one of the examples here. I know you also have pleasant experience than me with God but how far you have become a witness to others by glorifying His name. Being a believer is nothing. We must become a disciple to Him and build His Kingdom of Love.

I always tell to the Christians I meet that "Your God met me, now He is my Father in Heaven. Thanks for your prayers so I am saved" I thank every Christian who are praying for others to be saved. Especially I thank my friend, Bobby John who prayed for me even when I was a Muslim. Later I came to know that He was the person who prayed for my salvation for years in his sick bed too. He is no more now but his prayers have been answered.

Let us walk with God

I had some visions and dreams through which God revealed certain things about my life. These dreams and visions showed how much God loves us. We should not be content with our sovereign God to our limited human knowledge. If you let Him talk to you, you will experience that beautiful moments in your life which always takes you to build your hope and faith in Christ. There is something more special with God. That's why Enoch walked with God for 300 years and went along with Him. Abraham saw something in God. That's why He could even leave his native place, family, business, friends and went to the place where God wanted him to go.

God is our loving Father

I don't know what is that something, to my knowledge because I am still a child in His lap. I think, it should be that He is our ABBA, FATHER. Anyways there is always something special with God which we seek for eternity. Rather than loving God, let us try to understand Him, which will make us to walk closer with him. Without understanding anything or any product you cannot love that. Isn't it? The same applies here also. You should try and start to understand Him than loving Him in priority. Because once you understand Him and His attributes, His nature, His needs, His expectations, you will finally love Him. Oh how much precious is the one who understands Him and loves Him? God wants us to understand Him and love Him because God does the same too. He understands us a lot and He loves us a lot, that too when we are

sinners and not holy. *"The Lord looks down from heaven on all mankind To see if there are any who understand, Any who seek God"* - Psalm 14:2

Either live for God or die for Him

I can say, God made me for this, "LIVE FOR GOD OR ELSE DIE FOR GOD". That's how I am mentally and spiritually prepared because of His identity in my life, I don't want anything. I want to be His dear son and to do His will. God exalted my personal life before the eyes of all my relations. I completed my B.E degree in first class even though I was only average in studies. I got a very good job in a reputed MNC company and also I was honoured in my company. These are the dreams of every youth, to get placed in a good company after completing a degree. God has given me everything even before I thought and asked. God lifted me in whatever I do, wherever I go. His grace only protects and leads me, because of His love and mercy He has on me. I don't deserve them. But He is generous in giving and loving us like a mother.

God revealed to me about how people are cheating Him in this world, by neglecting Him and have become slaves to worldly things. God always says that He loves all His creations a lot and He needs all His sons and daughters to seek Him personally. I always have a burning flame for God. I never cared about my future but God has made it beautiful for me already.

He is coming soon than we all expect... He is our love, life and everything. The things I have shared here is only very little but God did many miracles for me more than I had asked and prayed for. He is a miracle and wondrous God. He gives more than we ask for. He knows very well what is needed for us. He fulfils all our needs in time. He knows when to give, what to give and how much to give. He is a giver and not a taker.

You should know one thing that I was a person who hated Him and ridiculed Him. I was lost somewhere in this wild sinful world. But see how God cared about the person who went against Him.

I want you all to love one another in the name of Lord Jesus Christ, live in His spirit and say to Him "Abba, I love you". He is waiting for your call at your doorsteps, as soon as you make a call, He will come running to hug you and to give you eternal joy which no human being, Father, Mother, friends, relatives or wife or wealth can give. Jesus does wonders in everyone's life. Let us testify His deeds among all people to encourage them to imbibe His unending love to turn away from atrocities, terrorism, selfishness done in the name of religions, caste, language, river or dam. Let us live like children of one heavenly Father.

I praise God, the lord who is living and loving all, through Jesus Christ. Amen.

Sincere prayers saves souls

Dear brother and sister in Christ, it is because of your prayers, me and my family have been saved. I always owe my return ministry to Christians as you have prayed for me. Your God came and met me and changed my life. It's because you have Lord Jesus in you, you can love someone and pray for them. Lord of Abraham, Lord of Isaac & Lord of Moses has become my God. I am really happy to declare this statement as I am saved now by Lord Jesus Christ, who is the only way for salvation. This salvation is for everyone in this world. Jesus does not want anybody to perish. He wants everyone to be saved irrespective of caste, creed, religion or nation. See what the scripture says in Revelation 7:9 *"of all nations, tribes, peoples, and tongues, standing before the throne and before the Lamb"*,

Yes, every nation, every soul, every tribe, every one speaking any language should stand before our Lord and bow down. Every knee should bow down before His throne. This is what the intention of the Heavenly Father!

My journey in Lord Jesus Christ strengthened my knowledge day by day and made me more mature to understand our

heavenly Father. Yes, even my Life has also changed. The Lord wanted me to testify not only in India but also in Singapore. Yes, it looks like that. He decided to send me to Singapore to glorify His name. My elder sister got a job in Singapore and my mom and sister wanted me to accompany her and stay with her till she is settled and finds her feet there. Fortunately, I had also resigned my job in a private company and was looking for another job. Hence, I was free to accompany her. I stayed in Singapore for more than three months. Myself and my sister were attending a Spiritual church in Singapore.

Practical Gospel training in Singapore

That Pastor used me in many churches among Indians, Singaporeans, Chinese and Malaysians. It was like a field practical training for me as to how to tell Gospel to unknown people, in public, in streets, in churches, etc., I had no such experience earlier. One does not need to have previous training or exposure. Just ask the Lord. He will provide every help to you. Didn't He tell Gideon who was afraid and hesitant to head the troops to fight against Midianites? See Judges 6:14 *"Go in the might of yours and you shall save Israel from the hands of Midianites. Have I not sent you? Surely I will be with you and you shall defeat the Midianites as one man"*.

Lord knows our weaknesses and strength, why should we be afraid? He is our great God! He is sending us for His Ministry. Then why should we worry? Ask Him to accompany you. He will be with you all along. He has already promised in Jeremiah 33:3 *"Call to Me, and I will answer you, and show you great and mighty things, which you do not know."* In addition, he has also assured you in Exodus 20:24 *"In every place where I record My name I will come to you, and I will bless you."* What else you need? Go and preach fearlessly His love, deeds and about His mightiness to the world. Let the whole world come to know of Him. The Lord has chosen us from our mother's womb only for His Ministry. He has separated us from the mass and called us to be His disciple. Further He is a good trainer

and provides. Didn't He say that *"But the manifestation of the Spirit is given to each one for the profit of all;" - 1 Corinthians 12:7*

We are the chosen people! Rejoice in His name! Hallelujah!

Once I came back from Singapore, an evangelist who is doing ministry among the Islamic friends called me and asked to publish my testimony as a book and to circulate it among the Muslims. We initially printed 2000 copies. Lot of people were encouraged, we again printed. More than 8000 copies were distributed among Islamic people.

Many threats to my life

I got many threatening but our Lord helped us to continue this ministry despite various threats to our lives. I don't care for my life. Everybody must die one day. If I am to die for the Lord, I am ready for it now as death is a profit for a Christian. A martyr indeed I will have a place near to our Lord! Isn't it? Then why to worry and be afraid of any threats and opposition? Our Lord is with us to take care of our safety and to protect us at all times. Without His knowledge, not even one hair will fall down from our head! Hallelujah! I shared my testimony to many people without any fear. That really touched many and they accepted Jesus as their Lord.

I got married to my wife Prasanna in 2014. She is from Hindu religion. How she got saved is an interesting testimony. Do you want to know how an orthodox Hindu became a Christian and got married to a Muslim? Yes, I understand that you are eager. I don't want to come in between. She is here to share her testimony.

Testimony by My wife -Prasanna

"JESUS IS A WONDER WORKING GOD"

I was playful and naughty

The weather was slightly chill in Nagercoil, the native place of my mother. My entire family had come to Nagercoil to take

part in a "Thithi" (Homage to my dead grandmother). I was 13 years old. Very young, studious, eager to know everything in the world. Life was full of fun to me. I was very happy and enjoying my life. I was quite playful and cheerful. My mother was shouting at me "Prasanna, don't run here and there. Be seated in one place. You are not a child any more. You are grown up now. Be calm and sit somewhere quietly". I did not bother her shouting. Because everyday I hear this. It had almost become a habit for my mummy to scold me every now and then. Otherwise she won't sleep.

Nice smell was coming from kitchen. My aunt was preparing sweet "Rava kesari" and "vada" for the offering pooja to be done for the "thithi" of my grandmother. About 16 years ago, on this particular day, my grandmother expired. So we do the pooja with offerings to her dead soul seeking blessings from her for the family.

That sweet smell from the kitchen was tempting and my mouth was watering. I slowly stepped into the kitchen. My aunt was frying cashew nuts and dry grapes in ghee to mix it in Rava kesari. I saw a big bowl full of "vada". I slowly picked up one vada from the bowl. My aunt had seen that. She started shouting "Hey, don't eat it. It is for offering to your grandma. You can eat it after the pooja. Not now" My aunt snatched the vada from my hand. On seeing my face shrunken, my aunt consoled me "Prasanna, you are a nice girl. Now you go and sit in the Hall and participate in the pooja. I am coming with all these things to keep and offer in the pooja. Be a good girl. I love you. Listen to me. Good girls always obey the elders. Isn't it? Go.. go..." she pushed me out of kitchen. I came back to the Hall.

Death anniversary of my grand mother

Hall was crowded with all my relatives. There was smoke in the hall because of Homam (a small make shift fire place in which many items are offered in the fire in prayer with chanting of Mantras from which the smoke comes). A Brahmin was

chanting Mantras while slowly throwing the items in the fire. Everybody in the Hall was very pious, fearful with folded hands in a position of worshipping the fire in which it was deemed, the soul of our grandma shines and will bless us.

All Hindus believe that there is rebirth after the death. Not one birth but so many births according to their karma. They also believe that the dead are alive and are watching us. Especially on the day of their death every year, their soul will circle around the house and offer blessings to the family members. Hence, Hindus religiously and fearfully they do this "Thithi" or "thevasam" and celebrate the death Anniversary with gait. During the pooja, they prepare and offer all the food which the dead were fond of when they were alive.

My mother in the grip of an evil spirit

At the time of arathi (camphor burning), my mother was standing next to me. When the arathi was offered in front of her, she started shivering. Her entire body was shaking. Her eyes always used to reflect love, sympathy and calmness. Now it was different. She had a steadfast look with anger. Her teeth were biting. Her voice was different. All of a sudden, she started shouting at others. She was not like my mom. She was totally different. Not acting on her own but by some Spirit. Something had gone wrong in her total behavior, mannerism and posture. I was scared and frightened and went near her to hold her from shaking. But others in the Hall said, "No, don't touch her. Grandma has come. She has descended on her body. Leave her alone". Someone pulled me away from my mother. I could not understand their actions. Everybody with reverence and folded hands, asked my mother, "tell us what do you want? We will give you. Bless all your children. We are your off springs." One elderly person in my relations asked my mother.

Everybody was happy, but I was not

I was not aware of what was happening. But they said it is my Grandma. She had come on my mother to see all her family

members. Also to tell some fortunes for this upcoming year. I had not seen my grandma from my birth. She had died so early even before my mom got married. I was wondering what was happening. I was much worried about my mother, but these people started asking her about their life. It continued nearly for 1 hour. Then she said it is getting late for her to leave so she was leaving. Then after a big cry and rolling, my mom became normal. Everybody was happy about my Grandma's arrival in my mother's body, except me.

To make you understand, I can tell you something. You might have seen people dancing in front of the temples. Hindus believe God descends upon people. They behave differently, like a different person when this happens. What all we need to give to the god, we give it to that person. Actually God does not descend on them. Only evil spirits and dead spirits come upon them. Like wise, Dead spirit came upon my Mother's body.

My mom became a medium for the dead spirit

So my mom became the medium for the dead spirit. People were happy about it, they thought that it was a blessing. Then my mom was given water to drink. She doesn't even know or remember as to what had happened. She asked why she was in the floor. People said it was nothing, you relax like that. Then my mom was back to normal after sometime.

The function was over. We came back to our home. But my mind was full of what had happened. I could not take it as normal as others did. The next day started the problem. Because of what had happened last night, my mom felt sick. She started telling that she got severe body pain, chest pain and head ache. she got all the problems in health.

I was too much worried about my mother

I was the eldest in my home, I have one younger sister. She was 6 years younger to me, so I had to take care of my mother. My father was least bothered about what had happened and its consequences. But I was worried a lot. I could not share this

with anyone. I had lot of questions and worries in my mind regarding my mother. Also, Some of our relatives did not believe as to what had happened to my mother. They were backbiting and telling that it was all a drama and my mother was acting. They did not believe her. But I knew it was real and she did not act. Also we are the ones who are suffering now. This incident had a great impact on me. I started praying to all my Gods to stop this transcending of spirit on my mother. I did not want my mother to be suffering and become a topic of backbiting among my relations. I prayed to all the gods keeping viradhas (Fasting), going to different temples in different places, made lots of cathis and vows. But nothing worked. No god helped me.

All my prayers and efforts went in vain

My mother continued to have the same problem every time. It was even getting worse. Wherever we went, some spirits came and used my mother as a medium. We could not go to any public place like temples, family functions, etc.,. People started looking at her differently which made me unhappy and worried. I approached many gurus(saints), siddhars(yogis), priests but to no avail at all. I told them my problem but they did not take it seriously. They all said it was all for good. In our religion, it is considered as a blessing. So none gave me a hearing and solution to the suffering of my mother. Everybody tried to convince me. But I was not at all convinced as it created negative impacts on my mother's health and in our life. I got really fed up trying with all of my Gods. Four years passed by. I also did not give up. I still tried with all the Gods I ever knew or people recommended. Someone will say if you go to this temple or if you go to that magician, your mother will be alright. I used to go there but nothing happened. There was no relief at all. None could stop the spirits from attacking my mother.

I lost my peace of mind and got worried

I was totally upset. I did not know what to do further, where to go and whom to seek. How can a god allow something bad like this in our life? I was clear that the things which were

happening to my mother was something bad and not at all for good. So after trying all that I could, I finally came to the conclusion that no use of following any of the Gods. It looked as though no one was powerful enough to stop these spirits. So I decided not to follow anybody or anything. I slowly stopped all my religious practices, without my parents doubting it. I was totally confused, lost all my peace of mind and became worried, hopeless and faithless. My heart was broken- thinking that these many years I had been worshipping all these gods but none was ready to help me. So what I could do now. I was so much depressed I lost the faith on Gods and became an atheist.

I was unhappy to join a Muslim Engineering college

It was at that time I joined the college. I had a dream of becoming a doctor as I used to study well. But my parents refused to let me take medicine and made me join an Engineering college – A Muslim Minority college. My dream of becoming a doctor was shattered. I did not feel like studying or even living in this world.

This world became like a hell to me. On my first day to the college, I think, I would have been the only one to enter with tears. All that unsaid sadness came out as tears. I did not have much friends to share my problems. I was a bit proud and a perfectionist. so I did not tell my problems to anybody. My self prestige stopped me. I could not tell my parents too because I was brought up to respect and obey them. They taught me discipline more than showing love. It doesn't mean they did not love me. But showing love is different than actually loving. They neither showed their love, nor were friendly to me. Our families and our brought up was like that. Our families thought that the girls should not be given too much freedom.

I was a timid girl

I was mentally depressed and unhappy at my heart. My college life started in a strict Muslim Engineering college. During Introduction classes we got to know the names of our

batch mates. 90% of the class strength was Muslims. Four days later, a guy from my class came to talk to me. I had grown as a timid girl, not so much social to talk to boys. I feared and hesitated to talk, but he started talking without any such feeling.

A Muslim talking about Jesus?

I knew he was a Muslim I also knew his name was Mohammed Ajhas from introduction classes and I was thinking what he had to talk to me. He came and told me "Prasanna, you go to a church. Jesus loves you. He will use you for His ministry (I will be a minister for Lord Jesus Christ)". Me going to church? Non sense! What he thinks himself? Stupid! From my thilak and holy ash on my forehead, he should have understood that I am a Hindu girl.. how dare he comes and tells me to go a church. And it was totally irrelevant. This fellow is a Muslim but he is talking about Jesus Christ. Funny! I could not understand as it was quite strange to me. A Muslim fellow telling me that Jesus loves me. Something wrong with him, I thought. Atleast if he was a Christian, I can understand his actions because all Christians are fanatic and they try to convert the people. But I know that his name is Mohammed Ajhas.

I rebuked him for telling me about Jesus

So I got angry, thinking that he is trying to flirt me, I shouted at him and came back home. After returning home I was thinking about what had Happened in the college. I had a fear as I had shouted at him I don't know what he might do to me. I have to be in this college for another 4 years with him. So what? Who is he to tell me to go to a church? Why should he tell me? What interest he has on me? Shouting at him was the right thing to do. He deserves it. That will make him understand and put a full stop to any further stupid attempts like this. I was convineed of my shouting at him. I simplify brushed aside this thought and concentrated on other things. Frankly I had totally forgotten about this incident.

I heard Jesus voice

But that night when I was sleeping, I heard a voice saying clearly, "I am Lord Jesus Christ. Go and hear what my son is trying to tell you". I was awakened by that voice I knew that it was not my Father's voice because I knew he was sleeping next to me. But the voice which I heard was so loving and kind. That voice and its tenderness touched me. He said my son, Who is his son? Is it Mohammed Ajhas? I was confused. How come he was son of Jesus Christ? He is a Muslim. How can a Muslim be a son of Jesus Christ? If Jesus Christ is God, then everyone irrespective of caste, creed and religion, will be His sons and daughters only. I think, Jesus is God only for Christians. Not for all and not at all for Hindus. Isn't it?

Mohammed Ajhas told about his encounter with Jesus

He had only talked about Jesus to me, so I guessed it must be him whom Jesus referred and I decided to listen to him the very next day. Next morning, I went to him and asked about why he told me about Jesus, he being a Muslim. And I didn't share anything about what had happened to me the previous night. My religion's pride did not allow me to share about a foreign God talking to me. I have been told that Jesus is a foreign God. He is for white people only. Not for us. We have lot of Gods here in our place.

Where will you go? Heaven or Hell?

Now he started sharing about his encounter with Jesus Christ and hence he now believed in Jesus Christ only. He shared all his testimony and finally said that Jesus is the only true God. I was not ready to accept all that because of my notion about Jesus. But I allowed him to talk all that to me but I was least bothered about his telling as Jesus was the only true God. I reflected my feelings on my face and started counter arguing. He was trying to convince me from various angles. Having failed to convince me fully, he finally asked me only one question to answer. I said ok, I will answer. He asked "Now,

imagine you are dead, where will you go? To heaven or hell? Tell me" I was shocked to hear such a question to me. Because I had never thought of that so far.

You don't know when death will come

I am so young now and quite healthy. Is it the time to think about death? Non-sense! I told him that I am not likely to die for another 60-70 years. I have a long way to go. Why should I think of death now? I was furious. But he was calm and with a smiling face told me - "Okay. I want you to live even more than that. But tell me one thing. Is death in your hands? Can anybody in this world surely tell that he will live for 60-70 years? No. A person can meet with an accident and die at any time or due to any incurable disease, he may die. Death is not in anybody's hands. When it comes, nobody can prevent, stop or postpone it. None can predict his death. Everybody wants to live forever. Nobody wants to die. But it is not in our hands.

Nobody thinks about the life after death

Every day we see it in TV, Radio News and read in Newspaper about very young people dying at very young age. His argument was convincing. I could not deny his arguments. Yes, death can occur to anybody at any time. The very thought of death and its consequences made me shiver. Yes, Heaven and Hell is there. Some Hindu Vedas also explain about it. But nobody seems to think about it. Everybody is busy on their own and daily chores. No time to think about all these things. This young man has made me shiver with a pertinent question and has given a shock of my life.

I believed in many rebirths due to our karma

We do not have time to think about all that. We are busy with our family, relations, job, education, making money, building a house, financial crisis, sickness, etc., In Hindu religion, we have faith in reincarnation or rebirth. If we do good things in this birth, we will have a good rebirth or else, we will have a rebirth like a Devil or Bad Spirits. We Hindus believe that only people

who sacrifice all the worldly desires become Saints and they will go to Moksha (Heaven). Till then we will have continuous rebirth. This is what I have understood and knew from my religion. Also I was not much well versed in all the Vedas. I just follow what was taught to me by my parents.

Small sins in my opinion are viewed seriously by God

So, this question of going to heaven or hell actually shocked me. I fell silent, as I had no reply. I know hell is a worst place of torment, pain and suffering. I may justify that I have not sinned. I mean, a sin of big magnitude and nature like murder, adultery, causing grievous injuries to somebody's body, mind or life. But small sins like telling a small lie, talking ill of others sometimes or backbiting, small stealing like taking Rs 5 or 10 from my house or daddy's purse or mother's purse, going to a new movie with friends, telling a lie in home that there is a special class in the school, little head weight, proud feeling about our caste, religion, devotion to God, a bit of stubbornness, getting angry for small matters, not forgiving or asking apology or feel sorry for small mistakes done by me. Like this, so many small small mistakes, sins I have been committing and I never thought I was a sinner.

Your thoughts are not my thoughts-Jesus says

In my opinion, these are not major sins or unforgivable sins. These are small petty sins, which I am sure, God will not view them very seriously. Further I am a pious, devoted, god fearing girl, chanting many mantras, worshipping deities in our house and temple, helping poor and observing all the rituals religiously. So, definitely God will weigh my good deeds and forgive all my small mistakes I thought. But the way Mr.Ajhas explained what all are sins in the eyes of God, I was really shocked and further he said that the so called good things we think we are doing are only useless, rubbish in the eyes of God. This really gave me hell of a shock.

Jesus is the only way to Heaven

Finally, he said that no body or any god has any power to forgive our sins. Because sins committed by blood can be forgiven only by shedding of a sinless blood. Only God has got that holy and sinless blood, None else. Hence God himself had to shed his precious blood for the remission of our sins. Which God has shed their blood for us except Jesus? Tell me. None. He said "Jesus is the only way, the truth and life. He can alone forgive all our sins. With these unforgiven sins, we cannot go to heaven. The sins have got to be forgiven when we are alive in this earth. Nothing can be done after our death. Jesus is the only way to heaven and None else". It was a strong blow to my belief, faith and thinking so far. The words were continuously ringing in my ears.

I wanted to test Jesus

I returned from college with a heavy heart and thinking, I sat in my sofa and started thinking. If Jesus was the only true God, he could solve my problem. But my problem was not about heaven or hell, my worry was about the deliverance of my mother. I had tried all my known Gods whom I had been worshipping since my childhood. Why not try Jesus also. Actually I wanted to test Jesus. So I said- "Jesus, if you are a true God, heal my mother and deliver her out of all the spirits. I said these words sitting in my sofa. I did not even pray to Jesus or plead. I simply said and I went about with my college works and I had even totally forgotten that I had told these words to Jesus .

My Grandma's death anniversary came again

After a week, the occasion came to do "thithi" for my grand parents. So We all went to our home town. I did not have any expectation of my mother's deliverance. So we went and at that day evening we offered all the things as usual and worshipped my grandma to accept all the offerings. Everyone was expecting my mother to fall down and manifest my grandmother, so that they could ask about their future and tell their requests.

Jesus delivered my mom from dead spirit

To everyone's surprise, that evening my mother was not influenced by any dead or evil spirits. Instead someone else got that and my mother was saved. I was surprised to see my mom being quite, calm and was standing normally, without any problem. My heart was overwhelmed with Joy, which none can understand. I immediately remembered about my telling to Jesus. I did not even make a prayer to Him. But Yes, He has heard it and He has delivered my mother. Yes, yes. It was only Jesus! His grace alone has delivered my mother! Nothing else. I could clearly understand and feel that.

Jesus is a prayer answering God

I could not believe it. But right in front of my eyes and in front of everyone, my mother is standing quietly without any problem. Jesus has really healed my mother. I had gone to many temples and cried with tears in my eyes to all the Gods whom I had been worshipping all my life since my childhood but those Gods had not delivered my mom. But Jesus whom I was thinking as a Foreign God and never felt like praying to him had delivered my mom. Oh, what a wonderful and loving God he is!!

I felt like falling at His Lotus feet, catch His feet and wet them with my grateful tears and kiss them. Even without my knowledge, I found tears rolling down my cheeks. My lips were chanting "Thank you Jesus! Thank you Lord, I love you. I love you Jesus!". On seeing, my eyes with tears, others thought that I was crying because my grandmother had not descended on my mother. But my tears were due to the deliverance she got from the evil dead spirit, through Lord Jesus Christ. I gave my heart to Christ. I accepted Him as my only Savior.

Jesus is waiting at our door step

The next day I told everything and testified about the miracle happened to my friend Mohammed Ajhas. I said your God is a superb God, I believe in Him and I love Him. He was

also genuinely happy. His eyes were wet on hearing the miracle done by Jesus. His mouth was uttering "Yes, He is a miracle God. He is wondrous God and He does mighty things. He is just waiting at our door step, just for one word from us calling him to come into our life and heart. He is so attentive and attends to all our prayers and needs."

A simple prayer to Jesus brings lot of change

His love is more than a Mother's or Father's love. No comparison at all. He is a unique God. You must taste and see His love. Then you will never leave him. Shall we make a small prayer now? He asked. I immediately said, I don't know how to pray. He said, "Don't bother. It is very simple. Just pray to Him as you talk to your Daddy. No formalities required. He just wants your heart. Just give it to Him". He closed his eyes and started praying "Thank you Father. Thank you, Lord Jesus. Thank you for giving deliverance to Prasanna's mother. You are a prayer answering God. Thank you for touching Prasanna. Be with her. Let her grow more in you. Let her become your beloved daughter. In Jesus mighty name, I pray. Amen."

His prayer was very simple but very sincere. It was from his heart. He was praying as if Jesus was standing right in front of him. It was a new experience for me. I started to like him and respect him. He was different from others. Others were playful, careless, cunning. But he is straight forward and loving. He cares for others. He stood tall in front of me. Then he guided me deep and close to Christ. He taught me about Christian faith, doctrines, Trinity, baptism, etc.,

I became a secret Christian

He was telling everything from his personal experience and his personal encounter with Jesus. Whenever he was talking about Jesus, his eyes were shining. It reflected his real love for Jesus. That was really infectious. It made me also to feel the same way. In the days that followed, I really became the follower and believer and a loving disciple of Jesus. He occupied the top

most place in my heart. But I could not tell my family about my new faith in Christ, so I remained as a secret Christian. I read Bible as if I am reading my lesson. I talked to Jesus, but I could not go for a Sunday worship or to a church. I could not take baptism. But my friend Mohammed Ajhas was guiding me properly and without any hurry, keeping in view my family situation. This is more important.

Be wise in telling Gospel

Telling Gospel to Gentiles is more important. But at the same time, one should do it wisely. One should never talk ill about other's religion or their culture, traditions and faith. If we tell a Hindu that they are worshipping a devil or an evil force, that will completely spoil all our efforts. Our intention should not be to ridicule their faith or religion but to bring that soul to Jesus by showing the real love of Jesus. Mohammed Ajhas was very careful and was good at it.

I accepted Jesus as my Savior

I welcomed Lord Jesus into my life and heart. Lord Jesus entered my life and he took complete control of my life. All things of loneliness, sadness, disappointment, failures were changed to happiness, peace, love and joy. I started tasting the Love of God. I rejoiced in the Lord. It does not mean that I did not face problems or bad situations. I did face, but peace was with me, as Jesus, the God of Peace was with me. All those experiences cannot be shared in words. I felt like as though I have come out of something. It's like I am released from clutches, someone released me out of some unseen bondages. I felt free and was extremely happy in Christ.

Admitted for Post graduation

Then Jesus helped me to complete my B.E with outstanding performance. I got M.E admission in Anna University, Trichy in merit. Even though my parents didn't want me to do higher studies. God helped me to do that. He changed my parents mind and they gave me permission. I joined a hostel in Trichy.

Now I was free to go to the church and worship God on Sundays. Hallelujah! His plans are not ours. Jesus knows the inner feelings of our heart! He does everything so perfectly.

Pastor, Give me Baptism, I asked

On the very first day of my going to the church, I asked the Pastor to give me baptism. He was shocked to see me asking for baptism on the first day. Then I shared my testimony to him and told him that I am a secret believer. That my parents don't know about my faith in Christ. Now I cannot tell them. I will tell them at appropriate time, but I need to be baptized. I requested the Pastor. He did not know what to tell and how to react. Then I added, If I wait till I get permission from my parents, it may take years. In case if Lord Jesus came in between, he will not take me with him. It is about my salvation. It is about living with Lord God, my creator. So please give me baptism, I insisted.

I was born again due to Baptism

Finally, he agreed and he gave me baptism. For my baptism, there was no crowd. Myself and my friend (a roman catholic, later got baptized in the same church), then the Pastor and his wife. But I knew that there would have been a great celebration in heaven. I was happy to be born-again. I cried in joy. Tears were rolling down my cheeks. Now I have entered the fort of Jesus's Blood. Nothing on earth can touch me. Now my name is entered into the Book of Life in Heaven! Have you taken immersed baptism? If not, take it immediately. Let your name be registered in the Book of Life. Okay?

During my two years of course, I shared my testimony to many of my friends. Before that I never shared my testimony or told anybody that I am a Christian. I pretended to be a Hindu girl. But after baptism, Holy spirit helped me to come out of my shy, fear. He gave me strength and courage to lead some of my friends to Lord Jesus Christ. Glory be to God.

Blessed with a highly paid job

After completing my M.E, I applied for jobs with prayers. God gave me a highly salaried job. I got a position of Assistant Professor in Mepco Schlenk Engineering College, Sivakasi. At that young age, and as a fresher out of the college, God gifted me with a good job. His blessings are great. My parents were surprised that how I got a job in such a big institution. They did not know that the Lord God Jesus was with me! There also I stayed in hostel and I continued to go to churches on Sundays. God blessed my job, I gave centum result in my teaching profession. It was all due to the grace and mercy of Jesus. Also I shared about my faith to all my colleagues and I prayed for them. I worked there for two years.

Ajhas proposed for marriage

All these blessings, happiness and peace was due to Jesus. Mohammed Ajhas was instrumental for it. Heart of heart I thanked him. He was a nice gentleman, handsome, intelligent, honest, decent and he was a fire for Jesus. I liked him. He also liked me. Although we were in different places. Yet our contact continued over the phone and in prayer. Our liking for each other developed as love in the course of time. He proposed for marriage. I could not say NO because I liked all his manners and behavior. We were holding each other in prayer. Our thirst for sharing of God's love to others and testifying the deeds of the Lord to others were also same.

"NO" for my marriage request and proposal

I think, God's will was to unite me with Ajhas in wedlock. So, we prayed and proposed our marriage to our parents. His family accepted but my parents were terribly shocked on hearing me that I have imbibed Christianity and now I want to marry a guy named 'Mohammed' but he is a Christian. There was a big NO from my parents. My parents did not accept but we kept it in prayers and waited for the Lord to intervene and He did. Who can deny God's proposal?

Unbelievably my parents agreed for the marriage

Two Months passed, there was no communication with my parents. I was working and staying in a hostel in Sivakasi. One day, my father called and said he is convinced with this marriage after talking to Ajhas. I was really shocked to believe what he said. Then I came to know that God asked Ajhas to ring up to my father and talk. With that call, my father was convinced. It was not any person who talked, but God himself talked on our behalf and convinced my parents and arranged our marriage.

As I had told my parents that as I am a Christian now, they agreed for a Christian wedding. So, a Muslim groom and a Hindu Bride, got married in Christian style. Unimaginable!! Isn't it? Jesus can do anything and every unbelievable thing.

Our life was focussed more on Lord Jesus Christ. It was not we tried to focus, but His grace day by day made us to focus on Him. After baptism, 10 years had passed by, that was in 2016, we did not know about the anointing of Holy Spirit. We knew that Holy Spirit is God and a person, a guide and a counsellor. More than that we didn't know about him. But our hunger and thirst to get the anointing of Holy Spirit grew.

Anointing of the Holy Spirit

One day when we were praying to God, we both were filled with Holy Spirit and started to talk in an unknown language and we were filled in the Holy Spirit's anointing. We were excited. Our love towards the Lord and prayer life was completely changed after the anointing of the Holy spirit. We both were filled in spirit, joy, happiness and love. We cannot express the feelings we had at that moment but crying and crying in love and repented for our sins and desired to know more about God and to follow only Him in holiness. That was an awesome day which we can never forget in our life.

We were praying for a child. Jesus heard our prayers and I conceived and gave birth to a beautiful baby girl, Iva Natasha Ajhas.

Miracle Healing

I had back pain due to child bearing and I was suffering for many weeks with that pain. My husband knelt down and prayed in faith as led by Holy Spirit and commanded my back bone to be straightened in the name of Lord Jesus Christ and by the power of Holy Spirit. At that moment itself, the bones got aligned and straightened and I was relieved of my back pain. Glory to God. It was a miracle. Is there anything which is impossible for Lord Jesus? We need only to pray in faith. I am happy and enjoying every minute of my life which I have not enjoyed in my entire life. God has blessed me a nice husband, a beautiful child and His ministry to do which we are extremely fortunate enough to do it. Now kindly listen to my husband about the Ministry the Lord Jesus has given us.

Healing and Deliverance Ministry

Jesus is a Healer. He is above all the doctors of this world. He has power to heal any deadly and incurable disease. That power He has given to His believers who believes in His unlimited might and power. The devil brings diseases and sufferings to people. He does not want us to be happy and healthy. He comes only to destroy our good health, kill our joy and happiness and steal our peace. Many are suffering and are sick due to Satan's deeds only. The Lord wanted us to deliver these people from their sufferings and sickness. *"He gave them power and authority to cast out all demons and to heal all diseases"* - Luke 9:1

Jesus is a healing and comforting God

God started using us in healing people. We don't claim any healing or miracle power but we appeal to Lord Jesus Christ to heal the diseases and He does it! Many people got healed and delivered. Jesus expanded our ministry. Many people invited

us to their home to pray for their sickness. We explain them about Lord Jesus Christ and through his sufferings in the cross all our sins, curses, diseases and sickness have been healed if we believe Him and have faith.

God wants to help us

Oh! What a precious God we have! He is always the same yesterday, today and forever. God heals people who have faith in him. We try to increase their faith so that they can receive miracles which God wants to give them. We do our part as instructed by God and the rest He does. Everybody can do it. You can also do it. Only thing, you have to have unshakable faith in Him. Lord used us to heal many people with 30 years of diabetes, chronic diseases, kidney failure, throat cancer, bone problems etc. Lord Jesus Christ did that. All the glory be to God. While doing the deliverance ministry, we also realised that doing miracles or wonders or healings is required but we feel the winning the soul for the Lord Jesus Christ is most important than healing.

Let us share the love of Jesus to everyone

We started praying for the people, we started sharing the Bible to people from different religions and to those who are weak in spirit, as they need more of God's Word. We Christians will never understand the true love of God. Most of us are selfish. We never share the hidden truth to others for getting peace, joy and happiness in life which we can get only through Lord Jesus Christ. *"For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, That whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life"* – John 3:16

Jesus is a Universal God and not a religious leader

Christianity is not a religion, basically it is the lifestyle for any human race to follow and Christ is not a religious leader. He did not come to earth to establish a religion. Also Christ did not die on the cross for Christians or Jews alone, but he died for the entire mankind. Jesus is an universal and unique

God. There is none like Him. He is almighty, all present and all pervasive. He is the God who created this universe with one word, the sun, moon and millions of stars, the ocean and all the living beings in this world including mankind. He has all the powers to create, protect, heal and to destroy. He is the God who is going to pronounce judgement on the final day for all of us according to the good and bad deeds of the people. He holds the key for the Heaven.

Anointing is a must for every Christian

Anointing brings us closer to God, that enables us : to understand more about Him and His love, to understand that sharing gospel is the central theme for any ministry, to understand people should see more of Lord Jesus Christ in us and less of us, to understand people should make more disciples rather than a mere follower and believer of Lord Jesus Christ, to understand that it is not gifts that are to be given importance but the love of Jesus for winning every soul for Christ is most important, to understand holiness is the key for getting closer to God.

Our prayer life after anointing was much effective which really made us receptive to His desires. I am working in a company but I do the ministry after my working hours in the evenings. Sharing Gospel to unreached and bringing everyone to the Kingdom of our God is my only aim in my life. My wife also joins me in the Ministry. I really thank God for giving me a lovely wonderful partner in my personal and spiritual life. Oh we started loving our God and people started seeing God is with us, which encourages us further to dedicate more for His ministry.

Jesus listens to all our prayers

One day evening my wife and few sisters were praying in an aunt's house, my wife saw Lord Jesus Christ was sitting and saying "Amen" "Amen" "Amen" nodding his head to all the prayer requests she was making. Oh what a beautiful God

we have who appears with His glorifying face and graceful appearance at our prayer place! He is the formation of Love, He is the origin of unconditional love. All glory and blessings belong to our Lord Jesus Christ. Hallelujah!!!

Being a Christian it is more important to know the living God and His attributes, which makes us to know the secret of God and He himself will start appearing in visions, dreams and in many ways He will communicate with us. The problem is, the people always go to the God through prayers with a bundle of worldly needs and requests, but never wait to receive His reply. Wait to get God's reply. Let Him talk to you. *"If only for this life we have hope in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied."* - 1 Corinthians 15:19

We are thankful to Him always and glorify Him through our ministry, wealth, good health and happiness. But more than that, the relationship with God will give you the eternal hope and joy which is more joyful which cannot be expressed in words. You have to experience it.

Do everything as per His will and guidance

When we try to do His ministry with our own talents, ability and wisdom, we will fail and fall down. It should always be led through His Spirit. Then we will be successful and there will be power in our Ministry. Miracles and wonders will happen. We have to seek the anointing of the Holy spirit. To get His blessings and anointing, we should be Holy and pure in our heart and life. When we are holy, the Lord will always be with us wherever we go. *"Not by might nor by power, but by my Spirit," says the LORD Almighty - Zechariah 4:6.*

Once I was on the way to a house visit, I was driving my car and my wife was sitting next to me in the front seat. Suddenly I was completely filled in the spirit and she saw Lord Jesus Christ sitting in the rear seat. Oh, what a dazzling moment! when the rays of the sun shine fell on His glorious face, it was so marvellous and was beyond any human comprehension to explain it.

We are all precious in the eyes of Jesus

When we saw Him in our vision, we were still looking forward, not turning back, just driving and looking in the front but at the same time, we were able to see Lord Jesus, at back very clearly. Our spiritual eyes were opened and hence we were able to see him. That was sunset time, so lot of birds were flying back to their nests. We saw Lord Jesus Christ looking at every bird and asking every bird whether they had good food, water, etc. Each bird thought that Lord Jesus was asking them individually. Bible says God takes care even the birds. Imagine then how much precious we are before His eyes. *Look at the ravens. They don't plant or harvest or store food in barns, for God feeds them. And you are far more valuable to him than any birds! - Luke 12:24. Is isn't?*

Jesus cares and loves everyone of His creations

And in that journey when He saw a group of people were crossing the signal, His face was so sad and He probably might have thought whom to send to share the gospel to these perishing people. Hasn't He voiced His deep concern regarding these abandoned people in Isaiah 6 : 8 *"Whom shall I send, And who will go for Us?"* He does not want anybody to perish. He wants every person to be saved. That is what His desire is! See 1 Timothy 2:4 *"who desires all men to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth."* Because He loves all His creations. Yes, He alone created all of us!

Jesus loves us more than a mother

He is a God full of unconditional love. He is King of Kings and Lord of Lords. He is the eternal God but He came down from Heaven only for us and to save us. Let us understand His desires, will, His emotions, His attitudes, His love and sacrifice, His humbleness, obedience to Holy Father. He is such a mighty God. There is none equal who can be compared to Him in this world. But see His humbleness, obedience to Father, His holiness, His kindness, mercy, grace and feeling for the people.

Not for good people alone but also for bad people and sinners. Normally people will hate sinners. Everybody would like to extend help only to good people. But Jesus came to earth to save sinners! That's the difference. That makes Him unique. It is like a mother's love. If a mother has two sons- one a good boy and the other a bad one due to bad company and friends. Somehow he is a spoiled child. Any amount of disciplining him does not work. Will the mother hate the spoiled boy? Actually she will be more worried about this boy only than her good son. Isn't it? That's the mother's love. The love of Jesus is like that and even more than that.

We shared Gospel for small and big crowds

We felt we should change our self like Lord Jesus Christ. We were invited in churches and meetings to share the testimony to everyone from 2 - 3 people gatherings to 500- 1000 people's gatherings. We never hesitated to go for any meetings, because we felt that people should know this unique God and become the ward of Jesus.

What is the difference between Satan and humans? People know about God, Satan also knows Him very well. But what makes the difference is having relationship and doing the will of God. When Lord Jesus Christ was here, He fulfilled the will of the Holy Father, but what about us? Do we really have such a strong bond, relationship with our God and do we fulfill His will? Otherwise it is all a waste. Jesus will never ask you, how long you are a Christian, which church are you attending, have you changed your name, have you removed your tilak, mangal sutra jewels and have you changed to white & white dress? We have to reflect Him in all our dealings. People should see Jesus in us. Hallelujah!

Close relationship with Jesus is more important

Without relationship with God, we cannot love anybody.

Without relationship with God, we cannot please God.

Without relationship with God, the gifts are like a bell which simply makes noise

I and my wife Prasanna started seeing many visions and dreams which really helped us in self-edification. It is not visions, dreams, tongues or prophecy that drew us near to God, but it was more of love towards God. In God's ministry, gifts like tongues, interpretation of tongues, prophecy always help us to do the will of God. It's like working in the kingdom of God with his proper effective spiritual gifts to deliver and help the people. Every Christian should be anointed with the Holy Spirit. Ask the Lord with thirst. He will give you!

Not change of Religion but only change of mind

Dear brothers and sisters!

The very intention of sharing our testimony is not to convert you as a Christian, I am still a muslim, my wife is still a Hindu. No change of religion. Only we have changed our mind and thinking. We are not going to get anything by changing you or by bringing you to Christ except that we will find you happy, peaceful and healthy. That's all. Try Him once, pray to Him sincerely. Declare all your sins and repent for it. Go to a nearby spiritual church. Read the Word of God(Bible) everyday. You will start seeing the remarkable change in your life, in your family, in your place, in your children's life and in their education, etc. Jesus is at your door step. He is knocking the door for you to open. Open your heart and life for Jesus.

When Peter knocked, John's mother opened the door. Everyone was greatly surprised because ***"When they opened the door and saw him, they were astonished"*** Yes, when you open your door, heart for Jesus, you will be astonished to see wonders and miracles in your life. It is definite. Because when Manoah asked the Angel of the LORD, ***"What is Your name, that when Your words come to pass we may honor You?"*** The Angel of the LORD said to him, ***"Why do you ask My name, seeing it is wonderful?"*** (Judges 13:17,18) Yes, our Lord

Jesus' name is wonderful. He does wonderful things beyond our imagination. Because it is said in Judges 13:19 *"He did a wonderful thing while Manoah and his wife looked on"* You will also see it for yourself and testify like me.

Whatever the problem you may face, pray to Jesus whole heartedly, then watch the result. Jesus will send the angels for help. Read Acts 12: 5 *"Peter was therefore kept in prison, but constant prayer was offered to God for him by the church."* See how the Lord answered their prayer first – *"an angel of the Lord stood by him,"* Acts 12:7. He sends his angel to answer you. *"a light shone in the prison,"* -the darkness in your life will go away and there will be light and brightness in your life. Third, *"He raised him up"*. Yes, you all might have fallen in your life, business, in the sight of your kith and kin. He will raise you up. Don't worry. Fourth *"his chains fell off his hands."* Yes, all the chains binding you, every bad habits, addiction to drinking, smoking, tobacco, anger and whatever is binding you will fall off. Fifth, *"the iron gate that leads to the city, which opened to them of its own accord"* -Acts 12:10 Yes, the door of prosperity, freedom, good health, peace and cheerfulness will be opened for you. Let it be any iron gate. Our Lord is capable of breaking it. Because He promised in Isaiah 45:2 *"I will go before you And make the crooked places straight; I will break in pieces the gates of bronze And cut the bars of iron."* Yes, that's the Word of God and the promise we have from the Lord. That's what Rhoda, the servant girl of Mary, the mother of John did in Acts 12:14 *"because of her gladness..she ran in and announced"*. This is what exactly we are doing now. We have received miracles from God and we are testifying. One day you will also testify like us. Hallelujah!

May the Almighty everlasting God Jesus bless everyone who reads and accepts Him as their Savior!

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Beloved children in the
lap of Lord Jesus Christ,
Mohammed Ajhas and Prasanna

